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RESOURCES:

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Overdrafts	1,798 81
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	40,000 00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages	10,016 00
Due from approved reserve agents	5,518 28
Due from other National Banks	12,597 20
Due from State banks and bankers	12,140 62
Real estate, furniture and fixtures	3,300 00
Current expenses and taxes paid	3,460 54
Prepayments paid	3,225 00
Checks and other cash items	322 26
Bills of other banks	5,280 00
Specie	59,689 09
Legal tender notes	1,871 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5-0-0 of circulation)	1,800 00
Total	\$339,802 59

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$75,000 00
Surplus fund	18,617 62
Undivided profits	6,240 36
National Bank notes outstanding	35,200 00
Individual deposits subject to check	158,137 62
Demand certificates of deposit	43,412 10
Due to State Banks and bankers	1,105 00
Total	\$339,802 59

STATE OF NEVADA,

Court of Washoe County, ss
I, C. T. BENDER, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. T. BENDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of May, 1883.
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RICHARD NASH,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE TTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, of the county of Washoe, State of Nevada. In the matter of J. C. Hagerman, an insolvent debtor.

Notice to Creditors of Insolvent.

Pursuant to an order of the Hon. Wm. M. Boardman, Judge of the said District Court, notice is hereby given to all the creditors of the said insolvent J. C. Hagerman to be and appear before the said Judge, in open Court at the Court room of said Court, in the town of Reno, in the said county of Washoe, on the twenty-third day of June, A. D. 1883, at 10 A. M. of that day, then and there to show cause, if any they can, why the prayer of said insolvent should not be granted, and an assignment of his estate be made, and he be discharged from his just debts and liabilities, in pursuance of the Statute in such cases made and provided, and in the meantime all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 11th day of May, A. D. 1883.
R. S. OSBURN, Clerk.
By W. L. Knox, Deputy.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

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Malloy, Pat	94	100	50 00
Thie, Pat	120	50	25 00
Hymers, T. K.	87	100	50 00
Hymers, T. K.	90	100	50 00
Pine, J. N.	105	13	6 50
Pine, J. N.	107	20	10 00

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By order of the Board of Trustees.
PIERCE EVANS.

Reno, May 25th, 1883.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HOPKINS GOLD AND SILVER MINE CO. will be held at the office of the Co., at the Court House, Reno, at 2 P. M. on June 11th, 1883, for the election of a Board of Trustees for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

A special meeting of the present Board of Trustees is hereby called for the same time and place.
By order of the Board of Trustees.
C. C. POWNING, M. C. LAKE, President.
Reno, May 12, 1883.

ANNUAL MEETING.

CROWN PRINCE GOLD AND SILVER MINE CO. Location of Works, Pyramid Mining District, Washoe County, Nevada, principal place of business, Reno, Nev.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Crown Prince Gold and Silver Mining Co. will be held at the office of the Secretary in the town of Reno, Washoe County, Nevada, Monday, June 11th, 1883, for the election of Trustees and such other business as may come before the meeting.
R. E. QUEEN, Secretary.
Reno, Nev., May 11th, 1883.

NOTICE.

AS THE REPORT HAS BEEN CIRCULATED in Reno that I am in partnership in business with Giovanni Gardella, at the garden above Reno, known as the old China garden, on the Truckee river, I take this method to notify all whom it may concern that we are not partners, nor are we in any wise connected or concerned together in business. The report probably got abroad from my renting a house and residing on the above-mentioned premises.
PORTALO DEBASI.
Reno, Nev., May 10th, 1883.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE FIRM of Manning & Berry are requested to call at the office lately occupied by the Reno Savings Bank immediately, and settle their accounts. All persons having claims against said firm will present them for payment.
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34th W. L. BECHTEL, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

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J. F. SMITH, N. G.
F. O. UPDEK, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

RENO LODGE NO. 15, Independent Order of Odd Fellows meet at Odd Fellows' Hall, over the Congregational Church, every Thursday evening. A punctual attendance of members is requested. All visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend.
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A USEFUL HINT TO THE DEMOCRACY.

An exchange very correctly informs the Democratic papers that their confident talk of a great victory of their party in 1894 is but the repetition of their predictions of every Presidential election for the last twenty years, and tells them that such talk will never elect a President. And the same paper gives the Democratic party a useful hint, namely: If it will merely cure itself of its chronic habit of blundering, secure harmony on at least two of the vital questions in National politics, convince the country that the Democrats have greater capacity to govern than the Republicans, and that the business of the country would be safer in their hands than in the hands of the Republicans, they will have no great trouble in electing the President.

There are great difficulties embodied in this hint, no doubt, and yet it states, in substance and form, the price and condition of Democratic success. The want of confidence on the side of the people is its greatest weakness, while the faith of the people in the ability and integrity of the Republican party is its greatest strength. The blessings which the latter has conferred on the country are as astonishing as its career has been unprecedented and brilliant. May be those who would attempt to recite the history of its achievements will differ in their estimate of the effect of its eminent services upon the progress and development of the country; but all will agree that the overthrow of the slaveholders' rebellion and the emancipation of the slaves were the most far-reaching in their consequences. These two events will always form a crown of glory for the Republican party. After that comes reconstruction, the maintenance of the public credit, the rapid payment of the National debt and the reduction of the current rate of interest. The financial policy of the party is indeed a wonderful one, and to-day forms a subject of admiration for countries who are vainly endeavoring to reach equally successful results. Many things the party has done, and the student of political liberty finds it difficult to tell which of these great feats of statesmanship and legislation resulted in the greatest good to the greatest number. And he will, also, on close investigation find that the Republican party has always been the party of the people, which fact is probably its greatest claim on popular confidence. From first to last, in victory and defeat, in peace and war, through good and evil report, it's one steady object has been to promote the general welfare. From the day of its foundation to the present time it has never been inspired by a principle or a policy, except to benefit the masses. No National Republican Convention has ever met that could not consistently adopt the preamble of the United States Constitution as the preface to its platform: "We, the people of the United States in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain" and promote this political creed. It formed a more perfect union by striking down secession; it established justice by freeing and enfranchising the slaves and giving them equality before the law; it insured domestic tranquility by nationalizing the Federal Government; it provided for the common defense by demonstrating how speedily armies can be enlisted, equipped and drilled, and it has promoted the general welfare in many ways. These are the Republican merits against the Democratic claims.

A GOOD PLATFORM.

The Ohio Republican platform, after reviewing the record of the party, declares against the theory of "tariff for revenue only," arguing that it is opposed to the best interests of the American Nation, and urges that the tariff of 1867 be restored, and that a National Bureau of Labor Statistics be at once established. The action of the Ohio Legislature in the submission of a constitutional amendment in the reform liquor traffic is approved. The platform approves the theory of the taxation of liquor for revenue, and to provide against the evils resulting from such traffic. The present administration of President Arthur meets with the hearty approval of the Republicans of Ohio.

The Carson people are delighted with Frank Bell for trying so hard to do so well with the Prison, hoping that his work will effectually prevent its removal. The best manager in the world cannot overcome the natural obstructions.

Ohio's cheek is again profusely illustrated. Gen. Crook is claimed as an Ohio man by the journals of that State.

THE NEVADA PRESS.

Views and Opinions Upon Current Topics and Events.

THE ABANDONMENT OF FORT HALLECK.

Rumors, seemingly well authenticated, have reached us from time to time during the past month or so, to the effect that the troops stationed at Fort Halleck, in this county, would soon be removed permanently, the buildings and movable property sold, and the land now occupied thrown open to pre-emptors and homesteaders for settlement. It is to be hoped this is not true, says the Elko Free Press, but should these rumors prove to be well founded the result will lead to inevitable evil consequences that may hereafter be seriously regretted by our Government, as the presence of the military at Fort Halleck has heretofore had a wholesome and restraining influence on the Indians, particularly those inclined to join the hostile Bannocks in their occasional raids upon the peaceful Shoshones and white settlers. We do not believe that the present military force at Camp Halleck can be entirely withdrawn without endangering the lives and property of the isolated settlers, the prospectors and cattle men. If, however, such abandonment is seriously contemplated by the War Department, no time should be lost on the part of our citizens in issuing their solemn protest against placing so many lives and so much property in jeopardy, by what we believe to be an unwise move on the part of that Department. Such protest should be urgent and emphatic, and the attention of our Congressional delegation in both Houses should be called to this matter, with a request that they make such proper representation to the Hon. Secretary of War as will cause the Department to hold the matter of abandonment under advisement until a more thorough investigation shall have been had, showing conclusively that a permanent removal of troops from that station will cause great danger to citizens of this section.

We have, however, reason to believe that the question of removal of the troops from Fort Halleck and its abandonment has been only partially canvassed, and not affirmatively decided. Even if such a conclusion should be reached we are credibly informed that troops will be retained at the Fort for at least another year. In the meantime our citizens should be up and doing in preparing and circulating petitions and protests against such permanent removal of troops and the abandonment of the Fort, setting forth many reasons why such an order should not be carried into effect, in strong and unequivocal language.

THE WASTEFUL RESERVATION.

A range of mountains extends along the west of Walker Lake which is full of mineral ledges. The reservation includes the richest portion of the mineral belt, says the Hawthorne Bulletin, and probably not ten Indians visit this section in a year. Some of these ledges have been prospected; on one considerable work was done by the discoverers, who were not aware that they were on holy ground, which was not to be profaned by the sinful industry of white men. They developed a very fine mine, and then learned that they could receive nothing for it, because the Government thought it necessary to maintain a reservation to gratify the vanity of a few wrinkled old chiefs and to assist in the disbursements of the revenue. There is timber on this range and water even to the tops of the peaks. In the cañons are tracts of arable land which would be cultivated if white men were permitted to go there and make homes. All prospectors who have been over the range agree in reporting that it is very rich and that the mines could be easily worked. Nevertheless, although the Indians scarcely ever go on these mountains, and then but to hunt stray horses, no one may make use of the wealth that lies there guarded by the reservation line.

Now, when the expense of keeping up the reservation does no good to any person, and when its abandonment would simply be taking away from the Indians some territory which they neither need nor use, can anyone show wherein the injustice would be in throwing it open to the whites, who would utilize the resources, and, in so doing, make living easier and better for the Indians, who much prefer bawling around mining camps to drawing rations on a reservation.

NEVADA'S OUTLOOK.

Several mining experts have been visiting properties in this vicinity during the last month, says the Battle Mountain Messenger, and express themselves as much pleased with the mines. These gentlemen have inspected the mines in the interest of California capitalists, who are beginning to wake to the fact that our State is not played out as a mining field as asserted by many. Our State labors under great disadvantages as against several other mining States and Territories. There seems to be a decided prejudice against Nevada in the Eastern States, for the reason that Eastern people have been deceived and defrauded by Eastern Companies doing a mining business in Nevada. They have passed judgment on our mining industries, without ever enquiring who or what was to blame for the failures. In the first place many of the properties purchased by their agents were worthless and known to be so, by those who purchased them, and were simply bought that they might be made the medium of a big swindle; secondly, expenditures have been made on the surface, instead of opening up the mines, and a large staff of hangers-on have eaten up the funds of the stockholders, and the State of Nevada is blamed for their useless expenditures and extravagance, and her mines are

pronounced valueless. The time is drawing nigh when these same men will be seeking investments. Several of our old mining camps are resuming operations on a solid basis and on legitimate business principles and are making regular shipments of bullion, the best proof of their value and stability. We want no booms, open up your mining properties instead of rushing off to other countries in search of bonanzas, and when purchasers come along be willing to sell for the actual value of your properties. The day has passed for fancy prices, and the amount in sight is the true value of mining, as well as other properties.

MINING EXCITEMENT AT BULLION.

John E. Gilligan, of Elko, who has just returned from a tour of inspection to Bullion Mining District, situated about twenty-five miles south of Beowawe—the point of departure from the railroad—gives a glowing account of the mines, the richness of the ore and the general prospects of the camp. He says, according to the Elko Independent, that a whirlwind of excitement, regarding these mines is rushing through Lander county and spreading like a prairie fire. The denizens of Lewis are just packing their goods and houses, too—on jacks, and navigating, bag and baggage to the new camp.

Three mines have been sold to outside capitalists and two others bonded, within the past two weeks—and three newly-incorporated companies are now shipping outfits to Beowawe with which to begin operations. About two hundred prospectors are in the district, and in order to supply the demand for exhilarating drinks to saloons—with the canopy of heaven for a roof and a barrel-head for a bar, running three shifts of tenders—are kept as busy as they are primitive. A first-class hotel—board \$10 per week in advance—is conducted under a roof of willow branches supported by forked sticks, the culinary outfit consisting of a frying-pan, coffee-pot and Dutch oven. The rules of the house permit no grumbling, upon pain of being instantly fired. Those without blankets are employed on the night shift, as those adjoints to comfort are not needed for day snoozing.

The superintendent of the 5-stamp chloride mill—only one in the district—Mr. Filz, formerly of Cornucopia, is turning out 300 pounds of bullion per week, and he is now grading for the erection of an improved 10-stamp mill immediately. Other mills will also quickly follow, for there is plenty of ore to keep them steadily employed.

Mr. Gilligan may possibly be over sanguine, but in speaking of these new going into camp he remarked, "They have much the best of those who rushed off to Arizona, Wood River and other foreign excitements, for before the latter can get back, a town lot in the city of Bullion will be in itself a bonanza."

OHIO'S NEXT GOVERNOR.

Judge Ben Foraker, of Cincinnati, the Republican nominee for Governor of Ohio, will be the next Governor of the Buckeye State. His nomination was a wise and proper one. He is a man that all respect and admire. He is a man of the people; one who entered the service as a private, and who was mustered out as a captain, and who afterwards, being still a boy, fitted himself for college, and came out with high honors and distinction. His record is well known: How he was admitted to the Cincinnati bar, how the citizens of Hamilton county placed him on the bench of the Superior Court, and how he was afterwards tendered the position of Supreme Judge on the resignation of Judge White. These honors have not spoiled him; he is still the plain, unassuming people's man, yet ever the brilliant lawyer and wise and just Judge. He is possessed of the highest executive ability as shown by the discharge of his official duties.

A Compact.

The Salt Lake Tribune is of the opinion that there is a compact between the Democracy and the Mormons to the effect that the Democracy will pledge itself to make Utah a State if the church will put up a handsome sum of money to be used where it will do the most good, and asserts that it has positive knowledge that such an agreement was made with Hancock and would be re-affirmed next year. That the Mormons are naturally Democratic is evident, and it is also evident that they are anxious to have Utah become a State, because under State Government they would be much freer from interference. Republicans would do well to keep an eye on this little game and checkmate it.

Judge Ben Foraker, Republican candidate for Governor of Ohio, is less than 37 years old. He enlisted in the army when he was only 16, and rose to the rank of Captain, although he had not completed his 19th year when he was mustered out at the close of the rebellion.

The Atlanta Constitution estimates that Georgia will produce this year 600 car-loads of melons, or more than 7,500,000 separate melons. The price of melons range in Chicago from twenty to twenty-eight cents and putting 1250 melons to the car each car will be worth \$300.

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SILVER AND GOLD.

Production of the Precious Metals in the United States.

The following is an abstract of the special report of Burchard, Director of the Mint, upon the production of the precious metals in the United States, for the year 1892 was \$32,500,000 in gold and \$46,800,000 in silver. Compared with the previous year, this shows a decline of \$2,220,000 in gold and an increase of \$800,000 in silver. The comparative decline in the production of gold was greater in California than in any other State or Territory, the yield being \$1,400,000 less than in 1891. This resulted from the interruption to hydraulic mining in some northern and middle counties of the State, owing to litigation, and also from the falling off in the production of the quartz mines at Bodie. In Oregon, where mining is chiefly placer, there was a diminution, and also in Nevada, Idaho and Dakota.

In silver, the principal increase was in Idaho, Montana and New Mexico, Idaho showing an increase of \$700,000, Montana \$1,740,000 and New Mexico \$1,500,000. Colorado furnished about \$600,000 less silver than in 1891.

Of the bullion production of the country, \$30,964,957 in gold and \$31,409,792 in silver was deposited at the mints and assay offices for coinage or return in bars to depositors. Of the deposits of gold, \$5,600,000 was paid in bars for manufacturing purposes, and the remainder went into coinage. There was \$1,400,000 furnished by private refineries for manufacturers of the United States. There was an export of \$175,000 in silver in bars. Of the total silver production, \$5,750,000 was exported, \$5,994,000 furnished by the mints and assay offices to manufacturers, \$353,000 by private refineries for the same purposes and \$24,700,000 used in coinage.

The production of the country by States and Territories was as follows: Alaska—Gold, \$150,000; silver, not given. Arizona—Gold, \$1,065,000; silver, \$7,500,000. California—Gold, \$1,680,000; silver, \$845,000. Colorado—Gold, \$3,360,000; silver, \$16,500,000. Dakota—Gold, \$3,300,000; silver, \$175,000. Georgia—Gold, \$250,000; silver, not given. Idaho—Gold, \$1,500,000; silver, \$2,000,000. Montana—Gold, \$2,500,000; silver, \$437,000. Nevada—Gold, \$2,000,000; silver, \$6,750,000. New Mexico—Gold, \$150,000; silver, \$1,800,000. North Carolina—Gold, \$190,000; silver, \$25,000. Oregon—Gold, \$830,000; silver, \$35,000. South Carolina—Gold, \$25,000; silver, not given. Utah—Gold, \$13,000; silver, \$6,800,000. Virginia—Gold, \$15,000; silver, not given. Washington Territory—Gold, \$120,000; silver, not given. Wyoming Territory—Gold, \$50,000; silver, not given.

In 1892 \$99,399,175 was paid in dividends by incorporated companies. This was a slight falling off from the preceding year. One hundred and seventy-five companies made assessments upon their stockholders for the purpose of carrying on mining operations, amounting to about \$9,000,000. During the year there was a greater decline in the amount deposited at the mints and assay offices than the difference between the gold production of 1891 and 1892, but there was a larger amount of gold consumed by the mechanical industries of the country. The amount of silver deposited at the mints and assay offices increased about \$3,500,000, which corresponds closely to the increased production of the year. The excess of production over consumption during the year, added to the net of import gold, resulted in a net gain to the circulation of less than \$3,000,000 gold, but, by the coinage and net import of gold, the metallic circulation gained \$39,700,000 in gold and about \$27,600,000 in silver coin.

California still maintains the second place in the list of gold and silver producing States and Territories, and is likely to do so for some time to come. The suits brought to prevent the deposit of debris from placer and hydraulic mines have been virtually settled. More attention is also being paid to the development of quartz mines in California and their low-grade ores by improved amalgamating processes, which promise to yield in the future steady if not large profits. Its gold fields show no evidences of exhaustion. On the contrary the magnitude of the deposits in the ancient river-beds, the number and permanence of the quartz lodes as well as the virgin ground yet undeveloped, insure a golden harvest for many years to come.

Nevada shows a decrease in gold and silver of about \$1,500,000, which is chiefly due to the rapid decline in the yield of the great Comstock lode, which has reduced it from the first to the third rank. The State has suffered probably more than any other mining State from stock speculation and management on the mining boards, but a reaction seems to be setting in, and mining in Nevada is being conducted on a more substantial basis than in the preceding year.

In Montana the mining industry has increased in importance, the increased yield having been in silver, which from \$2,630,000 in 1891 is in 1892 \$4,370,000. Utah shows an increased production of \$400,000 in silver, and the permanency of the mining industry of the Territory is assured. Arizona has maintained her large production of nearly \$8,600,000. New Mexico, the oldest mining section of the country, has not hitherto appeared as a large producer of bullion, but during the last two year rich discoveries have been made, which have increased the annual production to \$1,800,000. In Colorado, it has been claimed that there was a large excess of production in 1892 over that of 1891, but an examination of reports of shipments of ore and bullion and the reports of smelting works, shows that the increase has been in the value of the base metals.

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Long Finger Nails.

According to the writer of an article on "Extraordinary Finger Nails" in the World of Wonders, it is the custom of the Chinese, Siamese and Annamese to allow the nails of all their fingers, except the fore-finger, to grow to a great length, and among the former they sometimes attain the incredible length of from sixteen to eighteen inches. Among the Siamese so distinctive a mark of nobility are long nails esteemed that the belles and beaux wear silver cases, either to protect their nails or else to make people believe they are, whereas, in reality they are not. As regards the little finger, the writer tells us that "Embassadors and visitors of distinction from Asiatic States to Europe are often observed to permit the excessive growth of the nail of the little finger, and this is also a common occurrence with many of the people of India and other parts of Asia."—[Notes and Queries.

The reduction of the duty on wool by the last Congress is anything but popular among sheep raisers. The parties engaged in that business all over the country are organizing. Their purpose is to secure a restoration of the old tax if possible by the next Congress. The same they present will make everywhere for the Republicans. In fact it may be one of the prime factors in the next Presidential election. The next House will be largely Democratic, and it will either have to raise the duty on wool, and in that way modify the policy of the party, or antagonize openly and squarely the system of protection.—Bulletin.

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